



07-23-03

Gp/2813

PTO/SB/21 (03-03)

Approved for use through 04/30/2003. OMB 0651-0031  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

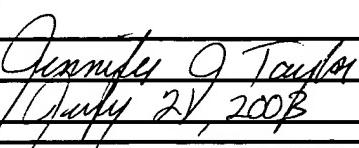
## TRANSMITTAL FORM

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

Total Number of Pages in This Submission

Application Number	09/902,277
Filing Date	July 9, 2001
First Named Inventor	Gurtej S. Sandhu
Art Unit	2813
Examiner Name	Schillinger, Laura
Attorney Docket Number	MI22-1780

ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> -Affidavits/declaration(s)- <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Correspondence Address <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund <input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to a Technology Center (TC) <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) <input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information <input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below): Return receipt postcard
Remarks		

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT	
Firm or Individual	Jennifer J. Taylor, Ph.D.; Reg. No. 48,711; Wells St. John P.S.
Signature	
Date	July 21, 2003

RECEIVED  
JUL 25 2003  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING		
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on this date: _____		
Typed or printed		
Signature		Date

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.

EV318281137



19/04  
J. Steptu  
8-4-03

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application Serial No. .... 09/902,277  
 Filing Date ..... July 9, 2001  
 Inventor..... Gurtej S. Sandhu et al.  
 Assignee..... Micron Technology, Inc.  
 Group Art Unit..... 2813  
 Examiner ..... Schillinger, Laura M.  
 Attorney's Docket No. .... MI22-1780  
 Title: Method of Forming a Thin Film Transistor

**RESPONSE TO APRIL 21, 2003 OFFICE ACTION**

To: Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

From: Jennifer J. Taylor, Ph.D. (Tel. 509-624-4276; Fax 509-838-3424)  
 Wells St. John P.S.  
 601 W. First Avenue, Suite 1300  
 Spokane, WA 99201-3828

RECEIVED  
JUL 25 2003  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

**AMENDMENTS**

**Introductory Comments**

In reply to the Office Action of April 21, 2003, applicant amends and remarks as follows.